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Subject: RE: Cooling Water Intake Rule - ESA

I think the lead for this would either be OST (who conducted the consultation and promulgated the rule) or OWM (who is implementing the rule), but your staffs can reach out to Alexis for support, as she is very familiar with the record.to sort out who has the lead (since OST promulgated the rule but OWM is implementing it). I think in the course of the rulemaking we all may have compiled these kinds of excerpts so your staffs can reach out to Alexis Wade, who had the lead on that for us.

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Adding Steve.
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> On Oct 7, 2019, at 8:38 AM, Ross, David P <ross.davidp@epa.gov> wrote:
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> I'm currently evaluating a 404(g) state assumption proposal from Florida and Arizona and how to address
ESA issues in state-assumed permitting. The proposal mentions the ESA process for the cooling water
intake rule as a potential model. Could someone pull together the ESA-based components of that rulemaking
for me, such as targeted discussion in the preamble, RTC, Bi-Op, etc. I'm not sure if this is an OGC or
OWM assignment, so please work together to figure out the most efficient way to get a packet together.
 Thanks!
 Dave
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